## ENLARGEMENT OF SITE FOR PUBLIC BUILDING, LOS ANGÉLES, CAL.

MARCH 12, 1904.—Ordered to be printed.

Mr. Quarles, from the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, submitted the following

## REPORT.

[To accompany S. 4453.]

The Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, to whom was referred the bill (S. 4453) to amend section 17 of the act of Congress approved June 6, 1902, entitled "An act to increase the limit of cost of certain public buildings, to authorize the purchase of sites for public buildings, to authorize the erection and completion of public buildings, and for other purposes," having considered the same beg leave to report the bill favorably, without amendment, with a recommendation that the bill do pass.

This bill carries no additional appropriation for the Los Angeles public building or site. It is reported favorably on the recommendation of the Secretary of the Treasury. This is intended merely as a recasting of the act which provided for the acquisition of a site and the erection of a public building at Los Angeles. Since the statute was passed certain conditions have arisen which have made this legislation

The letter of the Secretary of the Treasury approving the bill is herewith appended and made a part of this report.

> TREASURY DEPARTMENT, OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY, Washington, March 1, 1904.

Sir: Referring to your communication of the 25th ultimo, which requests a report in connection with S. 4453, amending existing legislation providing for the enlargement of the present site and for the erection of a new public building at Los Angeles, Cal. I have the honor to advise you that the proposed bill meets with the approval of this Department. Respectfully,

R. B. Armstrong, Acting Secretary,

The CHAIRMAN COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS, United States Senate.